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Sir:

In response to a final Official Action mailed January 2, 2008, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R.§1.116, Applicants submit this response and respectfully request entry thereof in the above-identified application.

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